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TO Honorable Judge Buckle

From Jerome Finnigan

RE: Reyes V. City of Chicago ET AL. # 07 C 6877

RE: Heidegger V. City of Chicago ET AL. # 07 C 5738

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Dear Judge Buckle

my name is Jerome Finnigan, <sup>JUDGE ELAINE BUCKLE</sup>  
defendant in the above referenced lawsuits. I am <sup>UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT</sup>  
currently incarcerated at the MCC-Chicago. I am  
unable to represent myself in this case, because I am  
incarcerated. I cannot appear on my own behalf and I  
cannot afford to hire an attorney. I have  
enclosed my petition for appointment of counsel  
and I respectfully request that the Court consider  
my petition at its earliest convenience. I believe  
I have a good defense to the claims that have been  
brought against me.

I will also in the near future  
be filing a motion for Temporary Restraining Order (TRO)  
in the case of Jerome Finnigan + Ungarretti + Harris  
VS. City of Chicago, case # 08 CH 24841 (Cook Co.)  
In that case, I have sued the City of Chicago for  
failing to defend me in all the civil rights cases,  
filed against me in violation of the City of  
Chicago's duty to defend me as required in its  
Collective Bargaining Agreement with the Fraternal  
Order of Police.

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I respectfully request that the Court not take any further action in this case, to my detriment, until after it considers my Petition, and until after the Cook County Court hears and decides my TRD. any consideration in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Thank you  
Sincerely  
Terence Finnigan  
